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I want to express that I think it's a bad idea to allow Microsoft to distribute free software to educational institutions to partially fulfill their anti-trust settlement terms. Simply put, education is one arena where Microsoft does \*not\* hold a monopoly, and allowing them to place software there runs directly contrary to the spirit of restitution. Such placement gives them a \*greater\* market share, and would exacerbate the conditions that prompted the anti-trust suit in the first place.

Thanks for the opportunity for input.

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